

After the Section Heading ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE, amend the paragraph as follows:

~~The invention relates to a~~ A method to regulate a circulating air and/or intake air portion (V_s , V_o) in a passenger compartment of a vehicle, ~~in particular a motor vehicle~~, with a sensor for detecting hazardous gas concentrations in the passenger compartment and for supplying a triggering signal (I_{CO_2}) of a control unit for the circulating air and/or intake air portion (V_s , V_o) ~~in a passenger compartment~~. To achieve air supply in a passenger compartment that does justice to demand and is optimized with respect to energy consumption, the ~~sensor for detecting hazardous gas concentrations~~ is a temperature-compensated sensor, whereby the sensor for detecting the ambient temperature along with the sensor for detecting the hazardous gas concentration supply signals (I_t , I_{CO_2}) for triggering a control unit for the circulating air and/or intake air portion (V_s , V_o). The control unit controls either the size of the circulating air portion (V_s) in the passenger compartment or switches from complete circulating air operation to complete intake air cooperation and vice versa.